

**PATENT**

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In re Application of:  
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Increased Seed Protein Plus Oil

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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

**MS AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on attached Form PTO/SB/08b be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

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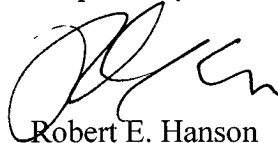
This Information Disclosure Statement, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c) is being filed after the mailing of a First Office Action on the merits, but before the mailing of a Final Office Action as far as it is known to Applicants. Further, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e), no fees are believed to be due since the item of information contained in this Supplemental

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Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,



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